

**BALANCED BUDGET AMENDMENT**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 1, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require a balanced budget, after receiving testimony from Senators Thurmond, Simon, Craig, Cohen, Kyl, Snowe, Heflin, and Feinstein; former Senator Tsongas; Alice M. Rivlin, Director, Office of Management and Budget; Walter Dellinger, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; Griffin B. Bell and William P. Barr, both former United States Attorney Generals; Robert J. Myers, former Chief Actuary, Social Security Administra-

tion; former Connecticut Governor Lowell Weicker, Hartford; Utah Governor Michael O. Leavitt, Salt Lake City; David A. Strauss, University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, Illinois; Edward V. Regan, Jerome Levy Economics Institute, New York, New York; Kenneth Ashby, Utah Farm Bureau Federation, Delta, on behalf of the American Farm Bureau Federation; and Herbert Stein, American Enterprise Institute, C. Fred Bergsten, Institute for International Economics, James D. Davidson, National Taxpayers Union, Martin A. Regalia, United States Chamber of Commerce, and Alan B. Morrison, Public Citizen, all of Washington, D.C.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Bills Introduced:** 114 public bills, H.R. 12–125; and 40 resolutions, H.J. Res. 6–30, H. Con. Res. 2–8, and H. Res. 15–22, were introduced.

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**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Sensenbrenner to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Adjournment:** Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 11:47 a.m.

### *Committee Meetings*

**COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION**

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities:* Met for organizational purposes.

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*Committee on the Judiciary:* Met for organizational purposes.

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*Committee on Rules:* Met for organizational purposes.

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*Committee on Science:* Met for organizational purposes.

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*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Met for organizational purposes.

**CONTRACT WITH AMERICA; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION**

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Held a hearing on proposals contained in the Contract With America. Testimony was heard from Speaker Gingrich.

Hearings continue January 10.

Prior to the hearing, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1995

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,* to continue hearings to examine issues involving municipal, corporate and individual investors in derivative products and the use of highly leveraged investment strategies, 10 a.m., SD–106.

#### House

*Committee on the Budget,* to hold an organizational meeting, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

*Committee on Science,* hearing on "Is Today's Science Policy Preparing Us for the Future," 9:30 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

#### Joint Meetings

*Joint Economic Committee,* to hold hearings on the employment-unemployment situation for December, 9:30 a.m., SD–430.